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Drought Requires Changes



Aggressive statewide water restrictions are proposed to take effect June 10, 2022. Will Southern Californians get on board?
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California Water Boards News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - In response to Governor Gavin Newsom's March 28 Executive Order the State Water Resources Control Board adopted an emergency water conservation regulation that will ensure more aggressive conservation by local water agencies across the state.

The new regulation bans irrigating turf at commercial, industrial, and institutional properties, such as grass in front of or next to large industrial or commercial buildings. The ban does not include

watering turf that is used for recreation or other community purposes, water used at residences or water to maintain trees. The regulation also requires all urban water suppliers to implement conservation actions under Level 2 of their Water Shortage Contingency Plans.

In March 2022, the state's urban retail water suppliers reported average water use statewide that was nearly 19% greater than in March 2020, lowering the state's cumulative water savings since July 2021 to 3.7%. On May 23, 2022, Governor Newsom convened leaders from the state's largest urban water suppliers

implored them to take more aggressive action to combat drought.

"The severity of this drought requires all Californians to save water in every possible way," said Joaquin Esquivel, chair of the State Water Board. "The regulation compels water systems and local authorities to implement a range of additional critical conservation measures as we enter the hot and dry summer months."

Level 2 water shortage contingency plans are meant to address up to a 20% shortage of water supplies. In addition to implementing Level

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New Wine, Spirits Bottle Recycling Bill Clears

Office of Sen. Bill Dodd

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The California Senate voted on May 25, 2022, unanimously to approve legislation written by Senate President pro Tempore Toni G. Atkins, D-San Diego, and co-written by Sen. Bill Dodd, D-Napa, to add wine and distilled spirits bottles to California's recycling program.

"I am really pleased that so many of our Senate colleagues recognized the importance of this common sense bill that benefits our environment and consumers," Sen. Dodd said. "With SB 1013 we can increase the recycling rates of millions of bottles that would otherwise wind up in our landfills or be illegally discarded. I look forward to seeing this bill with all its benefits for California pass the Assembly and be signed by Gov. Newsom."

"SB 1013 is historic change that is 40 years in the making," Pro Tem Atkins said. "I want to commend the wine industry, distilled spirits industry, environmental advocates, and other groups who have come together to support this landmark proposal. We will continue working with stakeholders as the bill moves through the Assembly to make sure remaining concerns are addressed, and then, hopefully, 2022 will be the year we can pop a cork and celebrate this overdue improvement to California's recycling law."

The California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act, established in 1986, encourages consumers to recycle beverage containers by requiring them to pay a deposit for eligible bottles. According to a 2019 report, curbside programs received approximately \$172 million from the so-called Bottle Bill in 2017, including \$15 million that is annually provided from the Beverage Container Recycling Fund.

Although the program includes beer, it does not include wine or spirits. It is estimated that California generates more than 500 million wine and spirits bottles each year, with less than 30% being recycled and over 300 million wine and spirits bottles going into landfills. Under Senate Bill 1013, wine and spirits bottles

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Juneteenth Celebration at UC Davis is Free and Family-Friendly

Yolo County News Release

WOODLAND, CA (MPG) - Yolo County Library invites residents to attend its free Juneteenth Holiday Celebration on Sunday, June 5th, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the UC Davis Conference Center and the Manetti Shrem Museum of Art.

Juneteenth is the oldest nationally celebrated commemoration of the ending of slavery in the United States. From its Galveston, Texas, origin in 1865, the observance of June 19th as the African American Emancipation Day has spread across the United States and beyond. In 2021, it became the 11th holiday recognized by the federal government.

The Juneteenth theme for 2022 is "The Road to Freedom Day" and will honor Black artists and artisans, performers, elders, and musicians. The family-friendly

celebration will include live entertainment, educational presentations, art displays, activities for youth, giveaways, artisan vendors, food trucks, sponsor tables, and more. Residents can learn more by visiting: <https://www.yolojuneteenth.org>.

There will be a variety of performances, including music, drumming, spoken word, and dance performances, including M'Ster Lewis, a JTL Production fashion show, the Grant High School Drumline, and renowned artist TheArthur Wright. Additionally, Master Quilter Khristel Johnson will display her history quilts at the Manetti Shrem Museum of Art. Johnson's quilts are visually stunning and meticulously designed using African fabrics, beads, and textures that create a unique 3D effect illustrating African American history through personal stories and significant events. The celebration

will include guest speakers: Lucas Frerichs, Vice Mayor of Davis; Renetta Garrison Tull, UC Davis Vice Chancellor of Equity, Diversity and Inclusion; and Vickie Gomez, UC Davis Director of Campus and Regional Community Engagement.

"We are very excited to offer a community youth art project for the celebration," notes Youth Services Librarian Katrina Laws-Ewald. Children and teens 18 and under of any cultural background are invited to create an art piece exploring the Black/African diaspora. The "Make Black Art" project is a new experimental community learning experience that asks youth to research and discover Black art subject of interest, then create or replicate that subject in any art form that their ability allows as a show of appreciation for the culture.

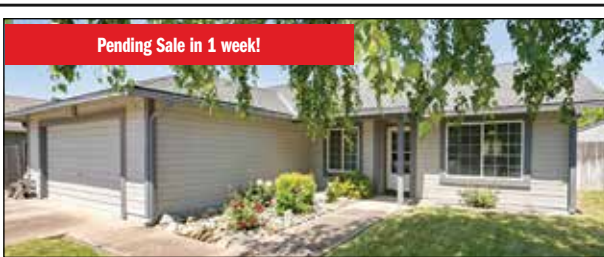
The Juneteenth Holiday Celebration is made possible with the

generous support of the Yolo County Library, City of Davis Human Relations Commission and Arts & Cultural Affairs Program, Culture C.O.-O. P., NJ Mvondo and Multiculturalism Rocks, Friends of the Davis Public Library, Yolo County Office of Education, Travis Credit Union, Yolo Federal Credit Union, Davis Media Access, CommuniCare, UC Davis Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion and the Manetti Shrem Museum of Art.

Davis Media Access will record and post the Celebration on YouTube on June 19th.

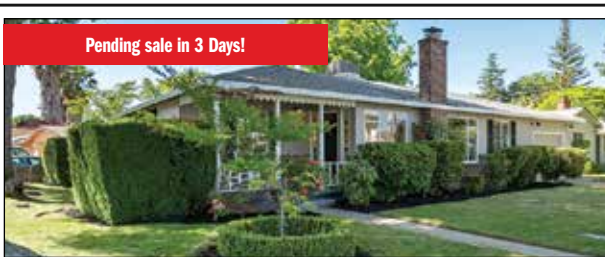
The UC Davis Conference Center is located at 550 Alumni Lane, Davis 95616. The Manetti Shrem Museum of Art is located across the street at 254 Old Davis Road, Davis 95616. There is free parking on Sundays in the garage and

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Mayor Goes to White House for Cinco de Mayo

**Office of Mayor
Martha Guerrero,
City of West Sacramento**

WEST SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Mayor Martha Guerrero, along with about 150 other mayors, councilmembers, advocates, community leaders and representatives from the current White House administration were invited to a Cinco de Mayo celebration hosted by the President of the United States Joe Biden and First Lady Jill Biden. As part of the celebration the POTUS and First Lady held a welcoming in the Rose Garden for Dr. Beatriz Gutiérrez Mueller de López Obrador, the wife of Mexico’s President Andrés Manuel López Obrador.

The First Lady opened with the declaration, “The White House, La Casa Blanca, is the People’s House, your house. And the story of America is the story of you, the story of all of us.” President Biden echoed the sentiments by emphasizing how the United States and Mexico are “further strengthened” by our shared history, heritage, culture, pride and the countless contributions



President of the United States Joe Biden speaks to invited guests at the Cinco de Mayo celebration at the White House on Thursday, May 5, 2022. Photo courtesy of Claudia Flores/Center for American Progress

of Mexican-Americans adding that “it’s also a day to celebrate friendship.”

In honor of the day, official White House musicians filled the colorfully decorated White

House Rose Garden with traditional Mexican music. Trays of beautifully executed traditional beverages and hors d’oeuvres, included tamales, ceviche, cajeta macaroons, empanadas,

tostaditas and tres leches cakes.

Mayor Guerrero shared how overjoyed she felt when the president made an announcement that The Smithsonian’s newest installation The National Museum

of the American Latino will be a lasting recognition and celebration of Latino community culture. The President elaborated that he looked forward to seeing the installation take its rightful place in Washington, DC, highlighting the remarkable stories and incredible contributions Latinos have made to this nation.

“It was an incredible honor to be included and to represent the City of West Sacramento at the White House Cinco de Mayo Celebration,” said Mayor Guerrero adding her excitement at having the opportunity to meet many white house representatives and honored guests.

Earlier that week Mayor Guerrero, and the West Sacramento City Council joined local business leaders for the 50th Sacramento Metro-Chamber California Capitol to the U.S. Capitol (also known as Cap to Cap) event in Washington, DC. The Mayor reports that this year’s Cap to Cap was the best yet yielding many positive developments and fresh opportunities benefitting our beautiful city in the years to come. ★



First Lady Dr. Jill Biden welcomed guests to the Cinco de Mayo celebration, saying, “The White House, La Casa Blanca, is the People’s House.” Photo courtesy of Claudia Flores/Center for American Progress



West Sacramento Mayor Martha Guerrero was one of about 150 other dignitaries as well as representatives from the current White House. From left to right: Antonio R. Flores, President & CEO of Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities; Neely Silva, Special Assistant to the Director of IGA-The White House; Mayor Martha Guerrero, City of West Sacramento, and Claudia Flores, Center for American Progress, Associate Director. Photo courtesy of Claudia Flores/Center for American Progress

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DA's 'Race-Blind' Charging Bill Passes Assembly 72-0

Yolo County District Attorney News Release

WOODLAND, CA (MPG) - On May 23, 2022, Assembly Bill 2778, "Race Blind Charging," passed through the California Assembly floor on a 72-0 vote. AB 2778 is sponsored by Yolo County District Attorney Jeff Reisig and supported by California Attorney General Rob Bonta.

AB 2778, authored by Assemblymember Kevin McCarty, requires the California Department of Justice to establish a "Race Blind Charging" system that all prosecutors must implement by January 2025. Specifically, the process would require removal of all race data from police reports for any suspect, victim, or witness when a case is initially reviewed for charging.

The bill was modeled after the Yolo County District Attorney's first-of-a-kind Race Blind Charging program, which was launched in May 2021. The Stanford Computational Policy Lab (SCPL) designed a computer program specifically for DA Reisig's office that automatically

redacts information in police reports that identify an individual's race. The program follows trends in academia and science where evaluators are "blinded" to certain facts in order to add confidence to outcomes. Attorney General Bonta met with DA Reisig in January 2022 and the pair decided to seek an author in the legislature to take the program to all DAs in the state.

Reisig praised the collaborative work on AB 2778. "The partnership between my office, the Attorney General, District Attorneys' offices across the state, and the Stanford Computation Lab has been amazing. I am proud of the state of California for being a trailblazer on this issue." AB 2778 is one of two bills sponsored by DA Reisig that are currently working their way through the legislature. DA Reisig also helped draft AB 2418, in collaboration with the American Civil Liberties Union and a non-profit called Measures for Justice, which seeks to impose transparency of data requirements on all prosecutor offices.

AB 2778 will next be heard in the Senate Public Safety Committee. ★

River City Softball Season Ends in First Round of Playoffs

By Shaun Holkko, sports editor

TRACY, CA (MPG) - The 2022 River City High School varsity softball team's season came to an end on May 17 with a 6-0 shutout loss at Tracy in the first round of the CIF Sac-Joaquin Section Division I Softball Playoffs.

After winning the Metropolitan Conference Championship, the Raiders (15-9-1, 10-2 Metro) were given the No. 12 seed in the postseason and were matched up against the No. 5 seeded Bulldogs (19-8, 9-6 Tri-City Athletic League).

River City was nearly no-hit by Tracy senior pitcher Hannah Schaller in the 6-0 loss. The Raiders' only hit came from sophomore Maddie Godina. Juniors Veronica Huizar and Jazmin Ochoa recorded the only other offensive statistics for River City, drawing a walk and hit by pitch, respectively.

Schaller earned the win by tossing a complete game, pitching seven shutout innings and allowing only one hit, one walk and one HBP while striking out 13 Raiders on 102 pitches. Junior pitcher Rosaria Gutierrez

took the loss on the mound for River City. Gutierrez pitched five innings and allowed 10 hits, six runs (five earned) and two walks with three strikeouts on 79 pitches.

Tracy tallied 11 total hits as four players each had multiple hits: Senior center fielder Kesaia Faasisila, junior third baseman Ava Mendoza, senior second baseman Katelyn Bridgeman and junior shortstop Malissa George. Mendoza and Bridgeman each had two RBI and George added one in her own right.

The Bulldogs scored their six runs across three innings with two in the first, one in the third and three in the fifth. Tracy lost two days later in the next round of the post-season to No. 4 seed Rocklin (18-12, 8-7 Sierra Foothill League) by a score of 3-1.

One highlight from this season was a 10-game winning streak from April 5 to May 10. Nearly the entire River City team will be returning next season, as only one senior, Delayna Garcia, will be graduating in the Class of 2022. Therefore, the Raiders will have a great shot at repeating as Metro Champions. ★

New Wine, Spirits Bottle Recycling Bill Clears

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would be added to the program, leading to more recycling, increased business for recycling centers and reduced processing costs. The expansion would also cut greenhouse gas emissions by almost 200,000 tons of carbon dioxide while reducing litter of wine and spirits containers, a visible and dangerous component of urban litter pollution.

SB1013 is supported by a number of groups including Californians Against Waste, Heal the Bay, California Association of Local Conservation Corps, Monterey Regional Waste Management

District, National Stewardship Action Council, Northern California Recycling Association, California Teamsters Public Affairs Council, The 5 Gyres Institute, the Plastic Pollution Coalition and Zero Waste USA. It has no formal opposition.

It passed the Senate with unanimous, bipartisan support. It heads next to the Assembly.

Senator Bill Dodd represents the 3rd Senate District, which includes all or portions of Napa, Solano, Yolo, Sonoma, Contra Costa, and Sacramento counties. You can learn more about the district and Senator Dodd at www.sen.ca.gov/dodd. ★

Yolo Food Bank Executive Director Leaves Organization

Endicott Communications News Release

WOODLAND, CA (MPG) - The Yolo Food Bank (YFB) board of directors announced on May 31, 2022, that Michael Bisch is no longer serving as executive director and is leaving the organization effective May 31. Bisch has served in the role since 2018.

"Our board has decided

that the organization needs to move in a different direction and that the first step in that process is to install a new executive director," said YFB Board Member Kate Stille. "We're very appreciative of the work that Michael did over the past four years to help put the Food Bank on a positive path forward, and we wish him the best of luck."

The board also

announced that it is immediately starting a search for a new executive director.

"The Yolo Food Bank is on very solid footing and with the talent and skills of our dedicated employees, and the continued support of our donors and volunteers, we're confident moving forward that we'll build further on our success in serving the Yolo County community," said Stille. ★

Tucked Away IN WEST SAC

Delhi Bazaar



Jatinder Singh and Daljeet Kaur are owners of Delhi Bazaar.


Story and photo by Michele Townsend

WEST SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Delhi Bazaar is a family-owned market that specializes in Indian, Fijian, Pakistani and Afghani, and Mexican foods. They have been in West Sacramento for the last nine years and were previously located next to Love Laundry in the shopping center that houses the Dollar Tree off of Harbor Blvd. In February they relocated to 1294 West Capitol Ave, West Sacramento and are now tucked away in the corner of the old Safeway center, between Papa Murphy's Pizza and Crest Jewelers. Owners Jatinder Singh and Daljeet

Kaur are happy with their new location, as there is double the square footage. This allows for the wide variety of items available in their market. Delhi Market offers multi-cultural groceries along with fresh and frozen fruits and vegetables. Fresh vegetables are delivered twice a week. In addition to food items, Delhi Market also offers clothing, Indian cookware, Artwork, candles, and many other decorative household items. Delhi Bazaar is open Monday-Saturday 10:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. and on Sunday from 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If you have any questions or inquiries, call (916) 669-8787 or simply go in and check them out. You will be met with a friendly smile. ★






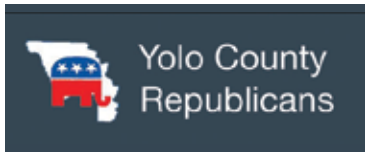

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California Expands Infant Formula Options for WIC Families

CDPH Press Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - To further support California families while supplies of infant formula remain limited, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) is adding a new flexibility by expanding purchasing options for the WIC (Women, Infants and Children) program. Effective immediately, families with WIC benefits have eight additional formulas, and a total of 13 options, they can purchase for their infants.

WIC families can find the latest updates at MyFamily.WIC.ca.gov or the California WIC App and should contact their local WIC office with questions on how these options work for infants. General information on the infant formula shortage is available at cdph.ca.gov/formula.

"We are quickly doing what we can to provide our WIC families with as many infant formula options as possible during this challenging time," said CDPH Director and State Public Health Officer Dr. Tomás J. Aragón. "In the coming days we will also add more formulas to this list."

The state's action temporarily expands the existing (WIC) authorized product list to include additional infant formula options. These newer options will be removed once infant formulas are widely available again.

Safety Information for Families in Need of Formula

Many California families are feeling the effects of the formula shortage. Safe formula preparation is vital to ensure infant safety.

Non-WIC parents and caregivers who face a shortage should call their health care providers first to help them navigate infant formula options when supplies are scarce.

Parents and caregivers are advised to NOT dilute formula or use homemade recipes for substitution as this can seriously harm a baby's health.

Babies usually tolerate alternative formula products except in the case of special therapeutic formula, and that's why it's important to consult with your healthcare provider first to get help or to discuss alternatives.

Visit cdph.ca.gov/formula for more information. ★

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surrounding lot next to the Manetti Shrem Museum of Art.

There are still spaces available for vendors, and volunteers are needed. Please visit yolojuneteenth.org for more information. If you have questions about participating in the event, contact Sandy Holman at (530) 902-4534 or sandy@thecultureco-op.com.

Tax-deductible donations can be made at tinyurl.com/YoloJuneteenth or by sending a check to the Friends of the Davis Public Library, P.O. Box 91, Davis, CA 95617.

For more information about Yolo County Library's programs and resources, residents can visit their local library, or the Library's website, <https://yolocountylibrary.org>, or connect with Yolo County Library on Facebook at www.facebook.com/yolocountylibrary.org and Instagram at [@yolocountylibrary](https://www.instagram.com/yolocountylibrary).

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Newsom, Legislators Given Stark Budget Warning



By Dan Walters
CALMatters.org

The Capitol is agog about Gov. Gavin Newsom’s declaration that California will have a nearly \$100 billion budget surplus.

“You’ve never seen a number like this,” Newsom told reporters as he unveiled his revised 2022-23 budget proposal.

Nearly half of the surplus must, by law, go to schools. The governor and legislative leaders are now busily negotiating how to spend the other \$52 billion. They agree on giving a big chunk of it back to Californians but are arguing over how much and who will get the checks and/or cash cards.

However, the Legislature’s own budget advisor, Gabe Petek, is warning the politicians that they should be very careful because the budget could be in big trouble in the years ahead. If they ignore his advice, there could be a fiscal meltdown of epic proportions.

Petek believes that the governor’s revenue estimates – on which the huge surplus estimate is based – could be too optimistic because he ignores a very real threat of recession. Petek also faults the governor’s budget for ignoring long-term effects

of the Gann Limit, a constitutional provision that imposes tight controls on revenue windfalls.

“Although predicting the next recession is impossible,” Petek says in a report released on Tuesday, “economic indicators currently suggest a heightened risk of recession within two years. Past recessions – with the exception of the one induced by the pandemic – have resulted in cumulative revenue losses of tens of billions of dollars. In two recent recessions, in fact, total revenue losses were around \$100 billion.”

“Under our estimates of revenue and spending in the out-years, the state would have a very narrow operating deficit in 2023-24, a small operating surplus in 2024-25, and a larger operating deficit in 2025-26,” Petek says.

Although Newsom’s budget makes passing reference to the possibility of recession, it assumes that the state’s recovery from the pandemic-caused downturn will continue to be strong, and thus will generate a strong flow of revenues.

Petek reserves his sharpest criticism, however, for the budget’s lack of a plan to cope with the effects of the Gann Limit. Once the calculated limit is reached, any revenue beyond that point must be either returned to taxpayers or spent on a few exempt categories.

“These requirements would far exceed the state’s narrow operating surpluses – and would compound operating deficits,” Petek notes, adding that without corrective action “the state likely would have

significant budget shortfalls in the out-years.”

As drafted, Newsom’s budget avoids triggering the Gann Limit in 2022-23 by clever accounting, but Petek warns that it’s likely to hit home within the next few years, forcing Newsom – assuming he’s re-elected this year – and the Legislature to reduce spending on other programs to meet Gann Limit requirements.

Although Newsom and legislative leaders have indicated they may ask voters to repeal or modify the Gann Limit’s stringent requirements, “In the meantime, we strongly caution the Legislature against passing a budget with a structural deficit stemming from unaddressed State Spending Limit (Gann Limit) requirements,” Petek says.

He suggests that one way to make the budget more resilient to both recession and Gann Limit requirements is to devote more of the surplus to reserves, which would mean spending less of it on things that the governor and legislators want, such as a massive election year give-back of cash to voters.

“Economic indicators point to a recession on the horizon within the next two years, not three-to-four years from now,” Petek warns. “The state has a \$52 billion surplus this year – now is the time to prepare for these looming budget problems.”

Dan Walters has been a journalist for nearly 60 years, spending all but a few of those years working for California newspapers. ★

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Senator Pan Joins Public Health Advocates for the PublicHERO Initiative

By **Randall Echevarria,**
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SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - State Senator and Health Committee chair Dr. Richard Pan joined California Can't Wait, a coalition of public health officials, local public health leaders, frontline workers, and health equity advocates for a virtual press conference urging Governor Newsom and state lawmakers to dedicate a small fraction of the state's \$97 billion budget surplus to one-time Public Health Equity Readiness Opportunity (PublicHERO) initiative investments. The public health and equity advocates said on top of boosting the state's annual commitment to core, local public health services, California must dedicate one-time funds to recruit, retain, educate and train the next generation of public health workers to respond to existing and emerging public health threats.

"I want to thank Governor Newsom for his commitment for \$300M annually for public health departments for ensuring that we build our public health infrastructure. With the emergence of a suspected case of monkeypox in Sacramento County from an individual who recently returned from traveling abroad in Europe, it is a good reminder of the critical work that our public health and medical professionals do daily to keep our community safe and healthy from infectious

diseases," said Dr. Richard Pan, California State Senator and Chair of the Senate Committee on Health. "Beyond the \$300M the Governor is proposing, we need to also help shore up our existing workforce. Well-funded and fully staffed public health departments equipped with necessary viral surveillance and testing tools help us quickly identify emerging health threats, and isolate infectious individuals, helping protect life and treat people resulting in the best possible health outcomes."

The California Can't Wait Coalition stressed the urgency to rebuild California's local public health workforce after the pandemic exposed how a decade of disinvestment in local public health departments left them understaffed, under-resourced and underprepared to protect and save lives. Historic underfunding coupled with stress, burnout, and harassment during the pandemic has had a significant impact on the public health workforce and is projected to cause additional public health workers to leave their field. In fact, the recent de Beaumont Foundation and the Association of State and Territorial Health Officials Public Health Workforce Interests and Needs Survey of nearly 45,000 state and local public health workers found that:

More than half of public health employees report at least one symptom of post-traumatic stress disorder; Many public

health workers, especially executives, report bullying, threats, and harassment; and, nearly 1 in 3 public health employees say they are considering leaving their organization within the next year

On a call with news reporters today, Kim Saruwatari, Public Health Director of Riverside County, said her county has been unable to hire a public health lab director, preventing an expansion of crucial public health services to protect the health and well being of their communities.

"We do not have enough qualified public health lab directors to meet the demand that exists today let alone when we look forward to our aging workforce that may be retiring and moving on," said Kim Saruwatari, CHEAC President and Riverside County Public Health Director. "Our public health labs are critical and often unknown to the public. They play a critical role in our day to day operations and emergency response. We have to be able to recruit and retain lab directors, public health microbiologists, public health nurses, and all of our public health positions so we can protect and serve the public."

Dr. Karen Relucio, President of the Health Officers Association of California and Public Health Officer in Napa County said California is experiencing an exodus of public health staff that has gutted local public health and must dedicate resources in development of our public health

workforce pipeline.

"Sixty-two local public health officials in California's cities and counties have left their positions since the start of the pandemic. This includes 21 health officers, 20 agency directors, and 21 local health department directors," said Dr. Karen Relucio, Public Health Officer in Napa County. "This great resignation has affected more than just senior leadership and has gutted the public health workforce from top to bottom. In order to sustain public health operations, it is more important than ever to invest in public health workforce pipelines and workforce development to attract future public health staff and future public health leaders and to retain the staff that we have."

Michelle Gibbons, Executive Director of the County Health Executives Association of California said the Public Health Workforce Interests and Needs Survey demonstrates why California must invest in the PublicHERO initiative.

"Nearly 1 in 3 public health employees say they are considering leaving their organization within the next year. This highlights why we need our PublicHERO initiative," said Michelle Gibbons, Executive Director of the County Health Executives Association of California. "We continue to call on state lawmakers and Governor Newsom to dedicate resources to our Public HERO Initiative to develop our workforce pipeline

to ensure local public health departments have the capacity to respond to public health threats and deliver on the promise of health equity."

The news conference took place a day after Sacramento County officials announced the first suspected case of monkeypox in California. Officials emphasized that while the disease presents a low risk to the public at this time, Sacramento County's swift response and work to educate the public illustrates why a robust public health workforce is essential. Public health response including testing and contract tracing as new communicable disease threats emerge keeps Californians safe.

In 2021, the California Can't Wait coalition successfully advocated for \$300 million in ongoing state funding to rebuild California's decimated public health infrastructure, a commitment that was kept in Governor Newsom's May Revision budget proposal this month. As scientists expect COVID-19 to become endemic and with the clear need to address the social determinants of health that led COVID to have such devastating impacts on communities of color, it's clear California must do more. The PublicHERO initiative would support the SMARTER plan to stay ready for future waves of COVID-19 and build the diverse pipeline of public health workers needed to address health disparities. ★

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The following person(s) is doing business as: JR Beauty, 1000 Taber Street, West Sacramento, CA 95605.

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This statement was filed with the

County Clerk of Yolo County on 5/16/2022.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy
Publish dates: May 27, June 3, 10 & 17, 2022
JR 6-17-22

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FILE NO. F20220415

The following person(s) is doing business as: My & My American Corp and My & My American Corporation, 2598 Del Monte Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

Waseb Traders Inc., 2598 Del Monte Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691. This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 5/16/2022.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy
Publish dates: May 27, June 3, 10 & 17, 2022
MY 6-17-22

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FILE NO. F20220424

The following person(s) is doing business as: R+H Aesthetic Medicine By Katie, NP, 2240 Lake Washington Boulevard, Suite 130, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

R+H Aesthetic Medicine By Katie, NP, P.C., 580 N Sunrise Avenue, #150, Roseville, CA 95661. This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 5/20/2022.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy
Publish dates: May 27, June 3, 10 & 17, 2022
R+H 6-17-22

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FILE NO. F20220382

The following person(s) is doing business as: First Pointe Management Group, 23622 Calabasas Road, Suite 200 Calabasas, CA 91302, County of Los Angeles.

West Coast Redevelopment, Inc., 23622 Calabasas Road, Suite 200 Calabasas, CA 91302 This business is conducted by Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/2015

/s/ Cristina Agra-Hughes, President
West Coast Redevelopment, Inc.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 05/04/2022.

Jesse Salinas, County Clerk/Recorder
By: kquam, Deputy
5/27, 6/3, 6/10, 6/17/22
CNS-3582276# NEWS-LEDGER
FIRST 6-17-22

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FILE NO. F20220419

The following person(s) is doing business as: La Noria, 1345 Merkeley Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

Elias Rodriguez, 9531 Felton Avenue, Ingleswood, CA 90301. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business name or names listed above on 1/8/2010.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 5/19/2022.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy
Publish dates: June 3, 10, 17 & 24, 2022
LA 6-24-22

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FILE NO. F20220435

The following person(s) is doing business as: Efficient Mortgage Processing, 1401 Halyard Drive, Suite 130, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

Hawkins Home Loans, Inc., 1401 Halyard Drive, Suite 130, West Sacramento, CA 95691. This business is conducted by a corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 5/25/2022.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy
Publish dates: June 3, 10, 17 & 24, 2022
EFFICIENT 6-24-22

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#CV2022-0635

Mohd Ashraf-Farhadi has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Mohd Ashraf-Farhadi to Ashraf Farhad, Ahmad Yasar Farhadi to Ahmad Yasar Farhad, and Ahmad Maseh Farhadi to Maseh Farhad.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on July 12, 2022, in Department 9, located at 1000 Main Street Woodland, CA 95695 and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: May 3, 2022
Daniel M. Wolk, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: May 6, 20, 27 & June 3, 2022
MOHD 6-3-22

COUNTY OF YOLO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#CV2022-707

Javier Edwardo Barajas has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Javier Edwardo Barajas to Javier Barajas Nanca.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on June 28, 2022, in Department 9, located at 1000 Main Street Woodland, CA 95695 and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: May 5, 2022
Daniel M. Wolk, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: May 27, June 3, 10 & 17, 2022
JAVIER 6-17-22



LIEN SALE

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to California Business and Professional Codes #21700-217 Section 2328 of the UCC of the Penal Code, Section 535 the undersigned, StorQuest Express Self Storage/Ramco St. of West Sacramento, will sell at public sale by competitive bidding the personal property of Washington Jason, Kuennen-apperson Dakotah, Soliz Noel, Avant Lacey, Gomez Alfredo, Casimir Wayne, Aubuchon Ottoma, Karptsova Karina, Jefferies Edward, Luthringer Jacqueline, and Shepard Charlene Banks. Property to be sold: Misc. Items. Auctioneer Company: www.storage-treasures.com. The Sale will end at 10:00 AM, June 18th, 2022. Goods must be paid in

CASH at site and removed at completion of sale. Sale is subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between the owner and obligated party. 3005 Ramco St. West Sacramento, CA 95691 (916)241-8600
6/3, 6/10/22
CNS-3591081# NEWS-LEDGER
STORQUEST 6-10-22

PUBLIC LIEN SALE

Extra Space Storage will hold a public auction to sell personal property described below belonging to those individuals listed below at the location indicated: 975 F ST West Sacramento, ca 95605 on 06/20/2022 @2:00PM: Crystal Finnerty household goods. Diana Torres holiday decorations. Isaiah Hart Household items. Brian Shahon house hold items collectables. Jose Sanchez Tools,

Clothes. andrew mausisa bin , box, bags. BonnieRae Supnet Household Goods, Boxes. Patrick Miller Household items. Daryleen Carpenter Household/ Personl Items. Briana Burnett Sofa, Bedroom Furniture, Coffee Table, End Table. Renee Mccormick household items, tables, holiday decorations. This auction will be listed and advertised on www.storage-treasures.com. Purchases must be made with cash only and paid at the above referenced facility in order to complete the transaction. Extra Space Storage may refuse any bid and may rescind any purchase up until the winning bidder takes possession of the personal property
6/3, 6/10/22
CNS-3591998# NEWS-LEDGER
EXTRA 6-10-22

LEGAL NOTICE

The Washington Middle College High School proposed 2022-2023 Local Control and Accountability Plan and Budget will be available for public inspection at the District Office, 930 Westacre Road, West Sacramento, Ca. 95691 and online at www.wusd.k12.ca.us, starting at 5:30 PM on June 6th, 2022 through June 9th, 2022. A public hearing will be held on the proposed 2022-2023 Local Control and Accountability Plan and budget on June 9th, 2022, at 5:30 PM at the District Office, 930 Westacre Road, West Sacramento, Ca. 95691. The meeting can be live-streamed at <https://www.youtube.com/c/WashingtonUnifiedSchoolDistrict>

West Sac News Ledger 5-27 and 6-3-2022

LIEN SALE

In accordance with the provisions of State law, there being due and unpaid charges for which the undersigned is entitled to satisfy an owner and/or manager's lien of the goods hereinafter described and stored at the Life Storage location(s) listed below:

Life Storage #0635 3280 Jefferson Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691 (916) 492-2056

Mary Albrecht: Hsld gds/Furn, TV/Stereo Equip, Tools/Aplnches, Lndscpn/Cnstrctn equip, Acctng rcrds/Sales Samples

Conner England: Hsld gds/Furn, TV/Stereo Equip

And, due notice having been given, to the owner of said property and all parties known to claim an interest therein, and the time specified in such notice for payment of such having expired, the goods will be sold to the highest bidder or otherwise disposed of at a public auction to be held online at www.StorageTreasures.com, which will end on **Thursday, June 23rd 2022 at 10:00AM.**

West Sac News Ledger 6-3 and 6-10-2022

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Pursuant to Government Code Section 66018, the West Sacramento City Council will conduct a public hearing on June 15, 2022 at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the item(s) listed below.

The City Council meeting will be conducted via teleconference pursuant to Government Code section 54953(e). On October 20, 2021, the City Council adopted Resolution 21-80 confirming that a statewide state of emergency continues to exist because of COVID-19 virus pandemic, and that the Yolo County Public Health Officer continues to recommend measures to promote social distancing. The Council and City staff shall take all actions required by Section 54953(e) to protect public access and right to comment.

To reduce the spread of COVID-19, members of the public are asked to watch the meeting Livestream (<https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/government/meetings-agendas/city-council>), or via Wave Cable Channel 20 and to submit comments in writing by 5:00 PM on June 15, 2022.

To submit a comment in writing, please email clerk@cityofwestsacramento.org and write "Public Comment" in the subject line. In the body of the email, include the item number and/or title of the item as well as your comments. All comments received by 5:00 PM will be provided to the City Council and posted on the website. The comments submitted shall become part of the record of the meeting. To make a verbal comment during the meeting, join the meeting using the Zoom meeting link or by phone.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the City Clerk, at clerk@cityofwestsacramento.org, seventy-two (72) hours prior to the meeting to allow the City to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting.

Public Hearing and Consideration of Resolution 22-54 Updating the City of West Sacramento Book of Fees for Special Events.

West Sac News Ledger 6-3-2022

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ALA Report Doesn't Tell the Full Story, Includes Misleading Data

Sac Metro Air District News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District, Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District, Placer County Air Pollution Control District, Feather River Air Quality Management District, and El Dorado County Air Quality Management District have issued a joint response to the American Lung Association's recent release of its annual State of The Air Report and the Sacramento Bee's coverage of the report on April 22, 2022.

The Air Districts address the report's ranking of counties based on air quality data that is skewed by extreme but short-term wildfire data and the increasing international transport of pollution that raises background concentrations, resulting in a misleading picture of air pollution emissions in the Sacramento region. The Bee's article omitted these factors as well. While air quality and public health are absolutely impacted by wildfires, to assign an "F" grade without naming the reason doesn't tell the full story. It also unnecessarily undermines public confidence and denies true progress.

Response From the Air Districts of the Sacramento Region:

"Thanks to innovative projects and programs by Sacramento region air districts and their partners, air quality has improved significantly over the past several decades and will continue to get cleaner in the future. Despite the challenges of wildfire and increasing transport of pollution, coupled with sharp increases in population and vehicle miles traveled, the Sacramento region has made great strides in moving toward and meeting strict state and federal health-based air quality standards.

Although the counties in our

region received poor rankings, these rankings are flawed and do not reflect the real, tangible improvements in air quality that have been made possible by the efforts of our districts and residents. While we value our partnership with the American Lung Association, we are extremely disappointed that the ALA report fails to recognize that the region currently meets federal health-based air quality standards for short-term particle pollution and is on track to meet similar standards for summertime ground-level ozone pollution within the next several years. That is no small feat and certainly worth a passing grade. We are equally disappointed that the Sacramento Bee article about the report did not acknowledge these factors or recognize the region's air quality accomplishments.

Our Districts are committed to combating climate change and improving air quality and public health outcomes for all residents, especially in our environmental justice communities. It is important for the ALA report to honestly reflect the significant challenges the region faces, while we continue to work together to find innovative new solutions to improve public health."

Historical Air Quality Data Shows Dramatic Air Quality Improvement in the Region

Between 2000-2022, the Sacramento Federal Nonattainment Area (SFNA) population grew 30.57% resulting in an increased number of vehicle registrations, and motor vehicles in the region. The SFNA is comprised of all of Sacramento and Yolo Counties, the eastern portion of Solano County, the southern portion of Sutter County, the western slopes of El Dorado and Placer Counties up to the Sierra crest and includes five local air districts.

Because cars, trucks and trains are the largest source of emissions in the region, Sacramento

region air districts have developed creative and innovative strategies to ensure the region can continue to grow due to an increased population but at the same time reduce air pollution, combat climate change, stimulate economic prosperity and improve the quality of life for residents.

According to the state's historical data, the number of smoggy summer days that exceed the current 2015 ozone standard has declined from 81 days in 2000 to 47 days in 2020. Even with the 2020 data, which had high measurements due to summer wildfire smoke impacts, this shows a strong downward trend that is expected to continue over the next several years.

Innovative Air Pollution Reduction Strategies Are Making a Difference

Sacramento region air districts have implemented numerous successful and innovative programs within the region to reduce air pollution that impacts our health, environment, and local economy.

A few examples include: Infusing millions of dollars into the region each year to support and incentivize electric vehicle conversion and infrastructure builds for businesses, public agencies, school districts and residents. Requiring the use of the most stringent emission control equipment on major stationary sources, which means less pollution coming out of the stack. Working with both public land managers and private landowners on prescribed burn activities to reduce excess vegetation and restore fire resiliency to the land. On-going support for the utilization of forest woody biomass wastes to fuel electricity generation and reduce wildfire size, severity, and pollution.

Implementing mandatory or voluntary residential wood burning reduction programs. Creating clean, safe, and reliable

transportation options by providing access to electric vehicles, carshare services, transit, and ride share for communities most in need in the region. Building out the region's zero and near zero emission infrastructure with the development of electric vehicle chargers, hydrogen fueling dispensers, and natural gas fueling stations.

About the Districts Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District

The Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District is responsible for monitoring air quality, reducing air pollution, and enforcing air quality regulations, and helps to achieve statewide carbon reduction goals. The district develops and administers programs to reduce air pollution levels below the health-based standards established by the state and federal governments, improve air quality in our region and combat global climate change. For more information, please visit www.AirQuality.org.

Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District

The Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District's mission is to protect human health and property from the harmful effects of air pollution. The district works to fulfil its mission through the development and enforcement of local rules, state, and federal air quality regulations; providing guidance to local agencies of air quality impacts of projects and planning documents, creating strategies to meet state and federal air quality standards, monitoring local air quality and raising awareness of reduction strategies through public outreach and education. For more information, please visit www.ysaqmd.org.

Placer County Air Pollution Control District

The Placer County Air Pollution Control District's mission is to manage Placer County's

air quality in a manner to protect and promote public health by controlling and seeking reductions of air pollutants while recognizing and considering the economic and environmental impacts. This is achieved through: enforcement of local, state, and federal air quality regulations, implementation of incentive programs to reduce emissions, air quality monitoring, efforts to reduce wildfire impacts, and land use/development reviews. The district works in concert with the five Sacramento-area air districts with a goal of moving the region into attainment of ambient air quality standards. For more information, please visit www.PlacerAir.org.

Feather River Air Quality Management District

The Feather River Air Quality Management District is a bi-county District that was formed in 1991 to administer local, state, and federal air quality management programs for Yuba and Sutter counties. The mission of the Feather River Air Quality Management District is to promote and improve the air quality of Sutter and Yuba counties. This is accomplished through monitoring, evaluation, education, by implementing control measures to reduce emissions from stationary sources, permitting and inspection of pollution sources, enforcement of air quality regulations, and by supporting and implementing measures to reduce emissions from motor vehicles. For more information, please visit www.fraqmd.org.

El Dorado County Air Quality Management District

The El Dorado County Air Quality Management District works to improve air quality and quality of life for El Dorado County residents by ensuring regulated sources control emissions and by implementing several emission reduction grant and incentive programs. For more information, please visit www.edcgov.us/airquality-management. ★

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WEEKLY COMICS

Amber Waves

I DON'T GET IT. THE FARMER ALWAYS CALLS THE COW **BESSY**.

HE CALLS THE DOG **PEPPER**. DON'T I DESERVE A SPECIAL NAME?

HEY THERE **CLUCKERS**. ANY EGGS FOR ME?

YEAH... PERHAPS IT'S BEST WE AVOID BEING ON A FIRST NAME BASIS.

by Dave T. Phipps

The Spats


IF YOU SING IN THE SHOWER...

...AND YOU GET SOAP IN YOUR MOUTH...

...IS IT CONSIDERED A "SOAP OPERA"??

by Jeff Pickering

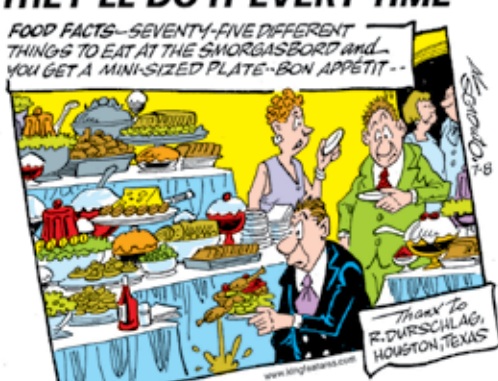
Out on a Limb



by Gary Kopervas

THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME

FOOD FACTS--SEVENTY-FIVE DIFFERENT THINGS TO EAT AT THE SMORGASBORD AND YOU GET A MINI-SIZED PLATE--BON APPETIT--



BY AL SCADUTO

R.F.D.

IT'S BEEN A GOOD SPRING! THE WEATHER'S BEEN IN OUR FAVOR...

NOT A SINGLE PIECE OF EQUIPMENT HAS BROKEN DOWN...


AND WE'VE HAD NO PROBLEMS WITH PLANT DISEASE, CRITTERS OR INSECTS!

PRETTY LUCKY! WE SHOULD GO BUY A LOTTERY TICKET, MAY!

NAW-- THAT'D PROBABLY JUST JINX EV'RY-THING!


by Mike Marland

GRIN and BEAR IT



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Just Like Cats & Dogs

ED, USUALLY I WOULD SAY THAT BALL IS PLAYABLE, BUT IN THE WEEDS, PAST THE FENCE AND OVER THE HIGHWAY....



by Dave T. Phipps

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